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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

[Docket ID FEMA-2015-0011; OMB No. 1660-NEW]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment

Request; Integrated Public Alert and Warning Systems (IPAWS) Memorandum of

Agreement Applications

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Notice.

comment.

SUMMARY: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will submit the information collection abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget for review and clearance in accordance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The submission will describe the nature of the information collection, the categories of respondents, the estimated burden (i.e., the time, effort and resources used by respondents to respond) and cost, and the actual data collection instruments FEMA will use. This proposed information collection was previously published in the Federal Register on April 21, 2015, and allowed 60 days for public comment. No comments were received. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

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ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget.

Comments should be addressed to the Desk Officer for the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, and sent via electronic mail to oira.submission@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection should be made to Director, Records Management Division, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472-3100, or e-mail address <u>FEMA-Information-Collections-Management@fema.dhs.gov</u>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Collection of Information

<u>Title:</u> Integrated Public Alert and Warning Systems (IPAWS) Memorandum of Agreement Applications.

Type of information collection: New information collection.

OMB Number: 1660-NEW.

Form Titles and Numbers: FEMA Form 007-0-25, IPAWS Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) Application; FEMA Form 007-0-26, Memorandum of Agreement Application for (Tribal Governments).

Abstract: A Federal, State, territorial, tribal, or local alerting authority that applies for authorization to use IPAWS is designated as a Collaborative Operating Group or "COG" by the IPAWS Program Management Office (PMO). Access to IPAWS is free; however, to send a message using IPAWS, an organization must procure its own IPAWS compatible software. To become a COG, a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

governing system security must be executed between the sponsoring organization and

FEMA.

Affected Public: State, Local or Tribal Government.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 160.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 160 hours.

Estimated Cost: The estimated annual cost to respondents for the hour burden is

\$6,128.00. There are no annual costs to respondents' operations and maintenance costs

for technical services. There are no annual start-up or capital costs. The cost to the

Federal Government is \$74,343.00.

Dated: July 10, 2015.

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